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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventors : Yasuji MIZUTANI *et al.*
Serial No. : 09/287,707
Filed : April 7, 1999
For : HYDRAULIC BRAKING SYSTEM WHEREIN ELECTRICALLY
CONTROLLABLE ASSISTING DRIVE FORCE IS APPLIED TO
MASTER CYLINDER PISTON UPON BRAKE PEDAL
OPERATION
Art Unit : 3683
Examiner : R. SICONOLFI

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 18, 2002, please consider the following amendments and remarks.

Please amend the application as follows:

In the claims:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Four Times Amended) A hydraulically operated braking system comprising:
a brake operating member operable by an operator;
a master cylinder including a pressurizing piston operatively connected to said
brake operating member and partially defining a pressurizing chamber, said

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